CHAPTER NO. 85

SENATE BILL NO. 1278

By Ramsey, McLeary, Henry, Beavers, Black, Bryson, Burchett, Burks, Chism, Cohen, Cooper, Crowe, Crutchfield, Finney, Ford, Fowler, Hagood, Harper, Haynes, Herron, Jackson, Ketron, Kilby, Kurita, Kyle, McNally, Miller, Norris, Curtis S. Person, Jr., Southerland, Tracy, Williams, Mr. Speaker Wilder

Substituted for: House Bill No. 925

By Tidwell, Niceley, Fraley, McCord, DuBois

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-3-104, relative to water quality board.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-3-104, is amended by deleting subsection (e) in its entirety and by redesignating the remaining subsections appropriately.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-3-104(b), is amended by adding the language "The state shall ensure that" at the beginning of the first sentence.
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-3-104(b), is further amended by adding the following language at the end of the first paragraph:

Board member participation in permit matters shall also be in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in Title 4, Chapter 5, Part 3, in addition to the provisions set forth below in subdivisions (1), (2), (3) and (4).

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 69-3-104(b), is further amended by deleting the language "five (5) citizen members" in the final sentence of subdivision (4) and by substituting instead the language "seven (7) citizen members".

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 7, 2005

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JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER USE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 19th day of April 2005

PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR